GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3013
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INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MASS COMMUNICATION
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Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention has been drawn to the news-item captioned `Jan Sanchar Sansthan Ka Dikshant Samaroh 37 mein se 15 Chhatron Ka diksha lene se Inkar, Guruon per Aarop Lagaye` appearing in the `Dainik Jagaran` dated April 27, 2001;

(b) if so, the details of the allegations levelled against the institute by the students;

(c) the measures adopted by the Government so far to inquire into the allegations levelled by the students; and

(d) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to check the resentment among the students in future?

Answer

The MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING (Smt. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The allegations primarily related to the conduct of the Post-graduate Diploma Course of Hindi Journalism.

(c & d) The matter was enquired into by the Institute and immediate remedial steps were taken. A new Course Coordinator has been appointed for the PGD Course for Hindi Journalism for the academic session 2001-2002.